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Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE DEVICE



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Examiner: Nguyen, Joseph H.

Date: February 24, 2006

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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

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Applicant claims "small entity" status. Statement filed herewith

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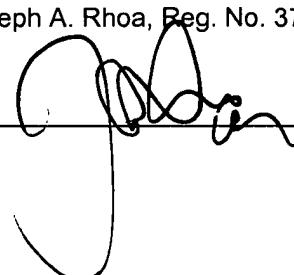
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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 312

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.312(a) and as requested by the Examiner, applicants hereby submit a Rule 312 Amendment. Applicants propose to amend the above-identified application as follows, as requested by the Examiner during a telephone call on February 23, 2006: